

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A multi-composition oral preparation system comprising the following components:

a first composition comprising:

(A) a calcium ion supplying compound in an amount allowing a concentration of the calcium ion in the first composition to be from 1.25 to 400 $\mu\text{mol/g}$,

~~(B) a fluoride ion supplying compound, other than a monofluorophosphate ion supplying compound,~~

(C) a polyolphosphate ion supplying compound in an amount allowing a concentration of the polyolphosphate ion in the first composition to be from 1.25 to 400 $\mu\text{mol/g}$, and

(D) a monofluorophosphate ion supplying compound in an amount allowing a concentration of the monofluorophosphate ion in the first composition to be from 2.6 to 210 $\mu\text{mol/g}$, and

a second composition comprising:

~~(B)~~ a fluoride ion supplying compound, other than a monofluorophosphate ion supplying compound, in an amount allowing a concentration of the fluoride ion in the second composition to be from 2.6 to 210 $\mu\text{mol/g}$,

wherein the components (A) and (B) are separated within the oral preparation system ~~a first composition comprises (A), (C), and (D), and~~
[[a]] the second composition ~~comprises (B) and~~ does not comprise[[s]] a phosphate ion supplying compound.

Claim 2 (Original): The oral preparation system according to claim 1, wherein components (A), (B), (C) and (D) are admixed within the oral cavity or immediately prior to introduction into the oral cavity.

Claim 3 (Original): The oral preparation system according to claim 2, wherein calcium fluoride fine particles are formed upon admixture of all the components.

Claim 4 (Withdrawn/Currently Amended): The oral preparation system according to claim 1, wherein the system has any one of the following variations:

a system comprising a composition comprising component (A) and a separate composition comprising components (C), (D), and (B);

~~a system comprising a composition comprising component (A) and component (C), and a separate composition comprising component (B) and (D);~~

a system comprising a composition comprising component (A) and (D), and a separate composition comprising component (B) and (C);

a system comprising a composition comprising component (A) and (D), a separate composition comprising component (B), and another separate composition comprising component (C);

a system comprising a composition comprising component (A) and (C), a separate composition comprising component (B), and another separate composition comprising component (D);

a system comprising a composition comprising component (B) and (D), a separate composition comprising component (A), and another separate composition comprising component (C);

a system comprising a composition comprising component (B) and (C), a separate composition comprising component (A), and another separate composition comprising component (D); and

a system comprising a composition comprising component (A), a separate composition comprising component (B), a separate composition comprising component (C), and a separate composition comprising component (D).

Claim 5 (Original): The oral preparation system according to claim 3, wherein the calcium fluoride fine particle has a primary particle size of from 0.3 to 15 nm.

Claim 6 (Original): The oral preparation system according to claim 3, wherein a secondary particle is formed from an aggregate of the calcium fluoride fine particles, wherein the secondary particles comprise monofluorophosphates and/or polyolphosphates.

Claim 7 (Original): The oral preparation system according to claim 6, wherein the content of the monofluorophosphates is in the range of from 0.05 to 20 % by weight of the secondary particle, and the content of the polyolphosphates is in the range of from 0.05 to 20 % by weight of the secondary particle.

Claim 8 (Cancelled)

Claim 9 (Original): The oral preparation system according to claim 1, wherein the calcium ion supplying compound is at least one of calcium polyolphosphates selected from the group consisting of calcium glycerophosphate, calcium glucose-1-phosphate, and calcium glucose-6-phosphate.

Claim 10 (Original): The oral preparation system according to claim 1, wherein the polyolphosphate ion supplying compound is at least one of calcium polyolphosphates selected from the group consisting of calcium glycerophosphate, calcium glucose-1-phosphate, and calcium glucose-6-phosphate.

Claim 11 (Currently Amended): A multi-composition oral preparation system comprising the following components:

a first composition comprising:

~~(B) — a fluoride ion supplying compound, other than a monofluorophosphate ion supplying compound,~~

(D) a monofluorophosphate ion supplying compound in an amount allowing a concentration of the monofluorophosphate ion in the first composition to be from 2.6 to 210 $\mu\text{mol/g}$, and

(E) calcium polyolphosphate in an amount allowing a concentration of each of the calcium ion and the polyolphosphate ion in the first composition to be from 1.25 to 400 $\mu\text{mol/g}$, and

a second composition comprising:

(B) a fluoride ion supplying compound, other than a monofluorophosphate ion supplying compound, in an amount allowing a concentration of the fluoride ion in the second composition to be from 2.6 to 210 $\mu\text{mol/g}$,

wherein the components (B) and (E) are separated within the oral preparation system ~~a first composition comprises (D) and (E), and~~
[[a]] the second composition ~~comprises (B) and~~ does not comprise[[s]] a phosphate ion supplying compound.

Claim 12 (Previously Presented): An oral preparation containing a multi-composition system comprising composition (X) and composition (Y), wherein component (C) is incorporated in the multi-composition system:

(X) a first composition comprising (A) and (D);

(Y) a second composition comprising (B) which does not comprise a phosphor ion supplying compound;

(A) calcium ion supplying compound;

(B) fluoride ion supplying compound;

(C) polyolphosphate ion supplying compound; and,

(D) monofluorophosphate ion supplying compound.

Claim 13 (Cancelled)

Claim 14 (New): The oral preparation system according to claim 1, wherein the concentration of the calcium ion in the first composition is from 5 to 400 $\mu\text{mol/g}$.

Claim 15 (New): A multi-composition oral preparation system comprising the following components:

a first composition comprising:

(A) a calcium ion supplying compound in an amount allowing a concentration of the calcium ion in the first composition to be from 1.25 to 400 $\mu\text{mol/g}$, and

(C) a polyolphosphate ion supplying compound in an amount allowing a concentration of the polyolphosphate ion in the first composition to be from 1.25 to 400 $\mu\text{mol/g}$,

and

a second composition comprising:

(B) a fluoride ion supplying compound, other than a monofluorophosphate ion supplying compound, in an amount allowing a concentration of the fluoride ion in the second composition to be from 2.6 to 210 $\mu\text{mol/g}$, and

(D) a monofluorophosphate ion supplying compound in an amount allowing a concentration of the monofluorophosphate ion in the second composition to be from 2.6 to 210 $\mu\text{mol/g}$,

wherein components (A) and (B) are separated within the oral preparation system.

Claim 16 (New): The oral preparation system according to claim 15, wherein the concentration of the calcium ion in the first composition is from 5 to 400 $\mu\text{mol/g}$.

Claim 17 (New): The oral preparation system according to claim 15, wherein calcium fluoride fine particles are formed upon admixture of all the components.

Claim 18 (New): The oral preparation system according to claim 15, wherein the calcium fluoride fine particle has a primary particle size of from 0.3 to 15 nm.

Claim 19 (New): The oral preparation system according to claim 15, wherein a secondary particle is formed from an aggregate of the calcium fluoride fine particles, wherein the secondary particles comprise monofluorophosphates and/or polyolphosphates.

Claim 20 (New): The oral preparation system according to claim 15, wherein the content of the monofluorophosphates is in the range of from 0.05 to 20 % by weight of the

secondary particle, and the content of the polyolphosphates is in the range of from 0.05 to 20 % by weight of the secondary particle.